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APICS WORKSHOP SET

CHARLESTON -- The Eastern Illinois University Business Development Center, along with the Lincoln Land and Lake Land APICS (American Production and Inventory Control System) chapters, is sponsoring a 10-week workshop designed to assist participants in preparation for APICS certification in CPIM (Certified in Production and Inventory Management).

The workshop which will address material and capacity requirements planning, will meet each Thursday evening from 7 to 9 p.m., August 25 through October 25, in Charleston at Eastern Illinois University.

The registration fee for the workshop is \$140. Text and materials cost will be an additional \$135.90, payable to the Lake Land APICS chapter on the first class night.

To register please call the Business Development Center at 217/581-2913 or workshop instructor Scott Knowles, president of the Lake Land APICS chapter, at 217/857-6411.

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The CPIM program is internationally recognized for its value in developing specialized knowledge in the very latest production and inventory management techniques and trends, including production planning, material and capacity requirements planning, Just-in-Time and systems and technologies.

It is geared toward those who desire an in-depth understanding of production and inventory management.

Certification demonstrates that participants have increased technical knowledge and expertise in production and inventory management and enhanced ability to predict outcomes accurately and apply actions that achieve results, according to Knowles.

CPIM benefits the company by having employees who can make sound production and inventory decisions, increasing productivity and profitability, and improving customer service, Knowles said.

"This course will be of great help as the participants prepare for the CPIM exam which is scheduled for November 5 at various sites throughout Illinois, including Eastern Illinois University," Knowles added. The exam registration and fees are not included in the fee for this prep workshop.